

In re PATENT application of: Burton et al.

Serial No: 09/675,023

Filed: September 28, 2000

Examiner: Hsien Ming Lee

Group No.: 2823

Docket No.: 050321-1970

Title: ELECTRICAL CONTACT FOR COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE  
AND METHOD FOR FORMING SAME

Confirmation No.: 7669

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment**  
**Commissioner For Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

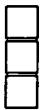


Response/Amendment  
Fee as Calculated Below  
No additional fee is required.  
Small Entity status has been  
established.



Terminal Disclaimer  
Corrected Drawings  
Other:

<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED FOR LARGE ENTITY</b>					
	Claims After Amendment	Highest Prev. Paid For	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	20	- 68	0	x \$18.00	= \$0.00
Independent Claims	2	- 7	0	x \$84.00	= \$0.00
<b>Petition for Extension of Time:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> 1 MO <input type="checkbox"/> 2 MO <input type="checkbox"/> 3 MO <input type="checkbox"/> 4 MO				= \$	
<b>Total Additional Fee for this Amendment</b>					= \$0.00



A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.  
A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 is attached in the amount of \$.  
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to our Deposit Account No. the  
amount of \$ for the fee identified above. A duplicate of this Amendment Transmittal  
Letter is included herewith.  
 The Commissioner is authorized to charge any insufficiencies, and the  
Commissioner is hereby requested to credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No.  
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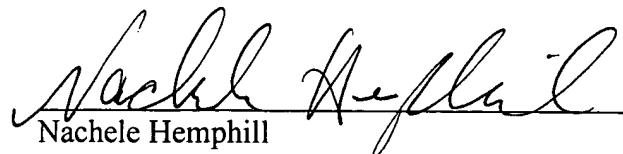


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Attached are the following documents for filing with the USPTO:

Postcard  
Amendment Transmittal Form (1 Page)  
Seventh Response (with Amendments)



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**SEVENTH RESPONSE (WITH AMENDMENTS)**

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Sir:

The Office Action mailed January 27, 2004 (Paper No. 012304) has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 20-0778.